

MINUTES of the ALL PURPOSES COMMITTEE held 4 July 2019 at Euxton PC Community Centre, Euxton.

<u>Present</u>	Cllrs	M Bamber P Fellows C Jones (Chair) A Oddy	K Reed A Riggott H Tune	B Williamson J Williamson M Wilmot
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1. Election of Committee Chair

Resolved: Councillor C Jones was elected to be Chair.

2. Election of Committee Vice Chair

Resolved: Councillor Oddy was elected to be Vice Chair.

3. Apologies Cllr Thornhill.

Public participation – none in attendance.

4. Minutes of last Meeting

Resolved: Minutes of the All Purposes Committee held 8 November 2018 were agreed to be accurate record of the meeting,

5. Flower Displays

Members discussed the displays for this year. The barrier style ones on Euxton Lane were preferred over the tub shape.

The wildflower areas on Euxton Lane do not seem to have been planted.

6. Christmas and Gala update

Arrangement have been made.

7. Wigan Road improvements

Resolved: Council agreed to carry out this project. Written permission from the land owner adjacent to be obtained first. This quote accepted for this work is £3,585 and the power is LGA1972s144.

8. Dog bag dispenser units update and consideration for further unit positions

Resolved: Council agreed to expand on this project and identified 6 new site areas:

- Ransnap woodland walk at the school end
- Cricket club road
- Balshaw Villa
- Cedar Avenue PROW near Limes Avenue
- Milestone Meadow play/scout hut area
- Runshaw Spar near noticeboard

Resolved: Council agreed for stickers to be made to go on top of the bins informing that it is the Parish Council who supplied the dispenser.

9. Village improvements around the village

Members discussed sites for new seats, defibrillators and other items. The new allotment site may be ideas for a seat, defibrillator and noticeboard, when it is up and running.

School Lane seat at the junction with Pear Tree Lane, look to see if this can be rubbed down and painted and if not, replaced.

10. Other items this Committee can discuss and/or take forward

Members discussed blockages on pavements, difficulties with obstructions for wheelchairs and buggies, parking over dropped kerbs, how to communicate all this in a map. Also, discussed the Council may pay for lining to indicate dropped kerbs, as an option.

Actions we can take to start improvements off are:

- Blockages or obstructions will be reported to the Clerk to report on to LCC or others.
- Clerk will explore with LCC marking dropped kerbs with a stencil or notices.
- Article for newsletter about considering where you put your wheelie bin so it does not cause obstruction.

The Chairman declared the meeting over.

8.05